UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

IN RE: NINE WEST LBO SECURITIES LITIGATION) No. 1:20-md-02941-JSR
Pertains to: Kirschner, et al. v. DFA Investment Dimensions Group Inc. US Core Equity 1 Portfolio, et al., No. 20-cv-04299	NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF COUNSEL AND PROPOSED ORDER

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Daniel H. Gold of the law firm Haynes and Boone, LLP is hereby withdrawn as counsel of record for defendants HBK Master Fund L.P. and HBK Quantitative Strategies Master Fund LP (collectively, the "HBK Defendants") in the above-captioned consolidated multidistrict action (the "MDL Action").

Mr. Gold appeared on behalf of the HBK Defendants in *Kirschner, et al. v. DFA Investment Dimensions Group Inc. US Core Equity 1 Portfolio, et al.*, No. 1:20-cv-04299-JSR (S.D.N.Y.), one of the cases consolidated into the MDL Action, when that case was pending in the United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas (No. 3:20-cv-00374-L). *See Kirschner*, No. 1:20-cv-04299-JSR, at ECF No. 21.

The law firm Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP will continue as counsel for the HBK Defendants in the MDL Action, with Philip D. Anker assuming the role of lead counsel. Mr. Anker is e-filing the instant notice on Mr. Gold's behalf, and with Mr. Gold's permission.

Mr. Gold is not retaining or charging a lien.

Accordingly, pursuant to Local Civil Rule 1.4, the HBK Defendants respectfully request that the Court order the withdrawal of Daniel H. Gold.

Dated: June 25, 2020 New York, NY Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Philip D. Anker

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SO ORDERED.

Dated: New York, New York

Honorable Jed S. Rakoff

United States District Judge Southern District of New York